

No. 5921 號一十二百	(千五饮》 · 日十三月九年子	丙緒光 HONGKONG	WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1	and the service of the additional feature for the service and a property of the	號五十月一十英
Arrivals.	To be let.	Notices of Firms:	Anctions.	Intimations. FOR SALE	Lintinations. VICTORIA BEGATTA, 1876
November 14, Yangusze, British str., 783, E. Schultze, Canton 13th November, Gone-	LILE TOUCED WAS TO SECTION TO	NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. P. JACOBSON in our FIRM CHASED	PUBLIC AUOTION. 1 HE Undereigned will Sell by Public Ans-	A STRTICAL BOILER, with ENGINE attached, 5 Horse-Power, Fitted with	TIBET DAY.
November 14, RAJANATTIANUHAE, Brif. str.,	Apply to TURNER & Co., 41, Queen's Road	on the lat July a.o.	TO-MORROW.	A MILLAR & Co	FIRST RACE,—1 P.M.—Junior Sculls. Fo Single Pair Sculling Boats. Entrance \$5
933, G. T. Hopkins, Bangkok 4th Nov., General:—YURN FAT HONG, November 14, MARTARAN, British str., 1,647, B. J. Barlow, Foochow 12th Nov., Ten.	TO LET. HE Three-Storey DWELLING HOUSE,	In 1699 Amoy, 24th October, 1876.	Econos, Quebu's Road,— 14 Cases OHAMPAGNE. -46 Kega PIOKLES.	Hongkong, 28th Colober, 1876. KEUPP'S OAST STEEL WORKS. ESSEN (GERMANY)	Distance One Mile. Prize. Broker Oup." Open to any one who has neve won a Sculling Race in Ohina. Second Race.—1.30 r.m.—For Six Oared Gig
November 14, Dewniousning, British bark, 483, D. Williams, from Whampon,	ROAD EAST. Heat moderate Apply to D. NOWROJEE, Hongkong Hotel	THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the Understand James Tier Number.	10 Cases BEER. 10 Cases SULPHURIC ACID. PURSES, PERFUMES, Table COVERS, Railway RUGS, SOCKS, STOCKINGS, &c.,	P. PEIL; Homakona, Shanahni, Coloane (Garmanu)	pulled by Non-Commissioned Officer and Men of any Regiment or Corps i Garrison, and by Members of the Police
General.—OLYPHANT & Co.	1m:1732 Hongkong, 1st November, 1876.	Oo. of Bombay. Honglong, and Shanghai,	Albumenized PAPER and OARDS.	A SODA-WATER MACHINE, in very	Force Distance One Mie. Entrance S First Prize \$20; Second, \$5: Tarko Race.—230; k.m.—The TObarroom
J. Cain, Saigch 7th November, General —Melchers & Co. November 14, Shen-chi, Chinese gunboat,	HOUSES on Upper Mosque Terrace. All with Gas and Water laid on.	18th day of October, 1870. JAMSETJEE NUSSERWANJEE TATA.	An Invoice of BLOUKS. An Invoice of Satsuma Porcelain CUPS and SAUCERS.	Press Office. 11 1358 Hongkong, 25th August, 1876.	Cup." for Four-Oared Canton Cutter Distance One-mile and a half. Entrance 810.
from Canton. November 14, Hochung, Chinese str., 849, Petersen, Shanghai 11th November,	A First-class GODOWN at Wanchi of about 5,000 tons capacity. Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD.	WITH reference to the above Notice, we beg to intimate that the INTEREST and	A COTTAGE PIANO.	A NDREW MILLAR AND CO. PLUMBERS, GASPITTERS, and	FOURTR RACE J. F.M. For Men-of-we Boats, Distance One Mile. Entrance S Prizes: First Bout, \$20; Second, \$5. N
Gonoral.—C. M. S. N. Co.	1464 Hongkong, 27th September, 1876.	RESPONSIBILITY in our said Firm of TATA & Co. of Mr. DADABHAL COWASJEE TATA, deconsed, will also chase and DETERMINE OR	TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at per-	Estimates given for Fixing Pumps, Water	time allowed for Oars. FIFTH BAGE.—S.30 F.M.—Senior Sculis. E. trages 35: Distance One Mile. Open
CICATARCES. AT THE HARBOUR MARTER'S OFFICE,	Annly to	and from the said 18th day of that from that date our Firm will consist of the four following Partners NATHOURAM		Oliver Water and Clar Corning to Dwelling	SIXTH RACE —4 P.M.—For House Brate pull- by Chinamen. Distance One Mile. E
November 14re. Norna, British steamer, for Swatov, Juno, German bark, for Manila.	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 512 Bongkong, 11th November, 1876.	JORAVURMULE: SORABJEE COWASJEE TATA, ANOTERAM MANKERAM, and DORABJEE BUB- JORJEE TATA.	1822 Hongkong, 15th November, 1876. PUBLIU AUUTION:	Gas Chandeliers, Lamps, and Brackets, in great variety, made to order, or re-bronzed.	SEVENTH RACE.—4.30 P.M.— Hong Rac For Four-Oured Conton Uniters. Distan
Yangteze, British steamer, for Shangbai. Elgin, British steamer, for Yokobama.	ROOMS-for OFFICES, with or without a	NOTICE NOTICE NOTICE TATA & Co. NOTICE TATA & Co.	SALE OF STEAMER.	Repairs and Jobbing punctually attended to under EUROPEAN SUPERVISION.	One Mile. Entrance \$10. To be pull by Members of the same Hong. Visito belonging to same Hong classibare to
Departures.	Apply to E. LILLEY, Stanley Street. 1722 Hongkong, 31st Cotober, 1876. TO LET.	VY SIGK our FIBM per procuration.	AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co., have re- quived instructions to Bell by Public Auction, unless previously disposed of by Pri-	No.1, Queen's Road Hast, opposite H.M. 13327 NAVAL YARD. [Aug. 21	allowed to pull.
November 14, Kishon, British steamer, for Queens- town. November 14, Leonor, British steamer, for	THE PREMISES in FLETORER'S BUILD.	NOTICE:	MONDAY, the 18th December, 1876, at Noon, oh Board,—	PEPPERAINT,	23rb Droember. First Racs—1 r.m.—For Merchant Sbir Boats manued by Encapeans of America.
Swatow, &c. November 14, CHEANG HOCE KIAN, British str., for Swatow and Amoy.	ING APARTMENTS, with GRANITE GO- DOWNS, fronting the Harbour and Queen's	our Firm, OEASED on the 6th instight. E. VINCENT & Co.	ne she now lies in this harbour, with all her	ANISETTE DE BORDEAUX. CURACOA, SECRESTA BITTERS, BESEDICTINE. OLARET	Distance One Mile: Entrance 81. Fr. Prize, \$20; Second, 85. No time for On SECOND RACE.—1.30 P.M.—The "Ladies Pure
November 14, Peng-chow MAI, Chinese gun- boat, for Chaung-chow.	MISES are also available.	NOTICE.	TACKLE, APPAREL, and APPURTEN- ANCES. The Vessel was built in Gover, on the Clyde,	Laffitte, Chateau Listose.	For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distant One Mile. Botrance \$5. TRIED BACK -2.30 P.M For Six Oared G
November 14, Elgin, British steamer, for Yokohama.	The LOWER STORET of FAIRLEA, West Point.	GENERAL COMMISSION and SHIPPING	engined by the same firm. Gross Tonnage	P. VINUENOT, No. 2, Peel Street, 1m 1671 Hougkong, 19th October, 1876.	pailed by Non-commissioned Officers a Men of any Regiment or Corps in G
- Passengers.	Apply 10 SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON, 1655 Hongkong, 17th October, 1876.	Godowns. WILLIAMS AND Co. (f 1036 Swatow, 6th July, 1876.	Net Tonnage	N E W B O O K 8	Distance one Mile. Entrance \$1. Fi Prize, \$20; Second, \$5. Winner of Second Race on first day excluded.
Per Martiban, etc., from Fodehow; Messrs. Lee Phelps and Wood and Chinese	TO LET	NOTICE.	Length between per- pendiculars 260 feet 5 inches.	WORKS OF REFERENCE:-	FOURTH RACE -S PM - Members On Presented by Members of the Victoria I creation Club. For Four-Oured Oan
Per Rajanattianuhar, str., trom Bingkok:-		PELLE, RUBBELL & Co.	The Vessel had New Decks and Bollers in	WORKS ON BOOKKEEPING. BEETON'S USEFUL BOOKS	Outters. Distance Cnc-mile and a b Futuance \$10. Wigner of the "Chairma Cop" excluded.
Per Penedo, str., from Saigon:—71 Ohimse.	Street. The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 10, Lynd-	14d 1751 Manila, 25th October, 1876. NOTICE. (NE Rusiness formerly carned on by HENRY)	100 Al in Lloyds, and 20 years in the Liverpool Book.	OLLENDORFF'S METHOD FOR LEARN.	FIFTH RACE. 3.30 PM For Men-of- Boats. Distance One Mile. Entrance
Per Norna, str., for Swatow:- 1 Cabin and 150 Uhinese.	Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	I SUTTON, will in inture be conducted ander the Style of SUTTON AND MOALLID.	TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid upon fall of the hammer; the remainder upon completion of transfer. The	Spanish, German, and Italian; with Keys to	TAO PIME BUILDING YOU AGO AGO
Per Yangisse, str., for Shanghai:— 4 Cabin and 50 Chinese. Per Elgin, str., for Yokobama:—	tf 1864 Hongkong, 8th November, 1876 TO LET. THE TWO UPPER STORIES of No. 12.	AUCTIONEERS. SHIPOHANDL RS. COMPRADORES.	Vessel to be at Purchaser's risk immediately after being knocked down. For Further Particulars, apply to	Novels:-	SITH RACE. 4 F.M. International Reference Four-Oared Canton Culters. Dista One Mile. Entrance \$10. Prize a set
8 Catein.	Apply to LOOK HING.	N.B.—Shipe Supplied with Water and Ballast on Moderate Terms.	or, to the AUCTIONEERS. 1813 Hongkone, 14th November, 1876.	OOMPLETE SETS OF DIOKENS'S AND SIR WALTER SCOTT'S WORKS. THE RUBY, ROSE, AND LILY SERIES.	FOF Four-Oured Canton Cutters: Dista
ACDOFES. The British steamship Marioban reports lef	Japan Ware Store, 1755 Hone kong, 4th November, 1876.	6m 1070 Amoy, 1st July, 1876.	K OSS AND COMPANY	The full Works of Anthony Trollope Charles Lever, Jules Verne, Charles Reade, Miss Brad-	one Mile. Entrance 35. Open to comers never having pulled in a wind crew in China up to closing of Entries.
Focohow on 12th November, and had N. East erly winds and fine weather throughout.	THE PREMISES, No. 8, PRAYA, late y in	O RIENTAL HOTEL, WELLINGTON STREET, HONGHONG, STOUKHAUSEN AND ROSE,	that they are now sudwing in their department of READY-MADE ULOTHING:-	don, and James Grant. And other Novels by good Anthors, serious and humorous.	of the Yacht Club to be sailed for, one on the Regatta day; and there will also be on the
The British steamship Penedo reports lef Saigon on 7th November, and had fresh gale and heavy sea up to the Paracella; from these	e Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.	PROPRIETORS. THYPER at ONE. DINNER at SEVEN. Wines, Spirits, &c., of the Best Quality only.	PROMENADE SUITS.	1725 Hongkong, 31st October, 1876	day a Sailing Race for Men-of-war a Bosts; on the second day a Sailing Race for Bost all Vessels in Harbour. The entrance for b
holeterous,	TO LET	BILLIAND ROOMS—BOWLING ALLEYS.	MORNING GOWNS, Ac.	LAMMERT, ATKINSON AND Co. pare lately received and bave for Sele.	the latter Baces will be \$2, and for each I there will be two Prizes: First Prize, \$ Second, \$10. Time for tonnage allowed
The British etsemship Rejunationalian reports left Bengkok on 4th November at 6 p.m. and had strong winds down the fulf of Siam	on the Prays, Wanobat.	BOARD AND LODGING. BILLIARDS	They also beg to draw attention to a selection of TROWSERINGS AND COATINGS	STORUS-	Yachte. Entrance for Enchts \$10. Entries for all races to close at 12 o'clos
then strong monsoon and heavy see from Pul Obi to the Scarborough Shouler from thence t port strong Easterly winds and heavy sea.	e 2f 453 Hongkong, 20th-March, 1875.	give 12 hours' notice either at the above. Hotel	in the most fashionable shades and textures	BLOATERS.	the state of the same allowed in the same of
Vessels that have arrived in Europe		D. NOWROJEE, PROPRIETOR.	COLOURED AND WHITE JOUVIN KIL		R. E. WOD HOUSE, Hon. Se Victoria Recreation Club. 1812 Hongkong, 14th November, 1876.
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ANTED, by the Advertiser, who understands Bookkeeping, EXTRA WORK, such as Posting, Making UP Accounts, &c., in the mornings, say from 7 to 9 o'clock, References given if required.

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HE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are propared to GRANT IN URANGES at Corrent Rates MELOHERS & Co. Agents, Royal Insurance Company t. 1780 Hongkong, 27th March, 1876 NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTIL INSURANCE COMPANY.

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ortent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, subject to a Discount of 20 %, on the premis-NORTON & Co. Agonts

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count of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the Current Rates. upon insurances offeeted with this Company DUUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., 1193 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM

137 LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON ESTABLISHED 1843. HE Undereigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by the Class Steamers and Sailing Ships.

A. MolyER, Agent tf Hongkong, lat July, 1867 THE SECOND COLUNIAL SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA

THE Undereigned, baving been appointed Agenta in Hougkong for the above Com-SHIPPERS to the low rates of premium charged for all steamer risks, besides which a / HR Undereigned Agents are in receipt in brokerage of THIRTY-THREE and ONE. I instructions from the Board of Directors, THIRD PER CENT. (834 /) will be allowed authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent on risks to posts in China, Japan, the Philip of £10,000 on any one First-class Risk, or to pines, and the Straits. On risk to all other the extent of \$15,000 on Adjoining Risks at ports the Brokerage will be FIFTEEN PER Current Rates. DENT. (15 %) only

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978 Hongkong, 31st October, 1876. OSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

DURING my absence, Mesars. GIBB LIVINGSION & Co. will Assume CHARGE of this AGENOT from this date. CHAS. H. MORGAN, Acent. 1440 Hongkong, Stb Seplember, 1876.

TRANSATIANTIO FILE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. Agenta for the above Company, are pro-

pared to accept risks against Fire at ourrent raice, subject to a bonus of 20 per cent.

tf 39 Hangrong, 16th November, 1872. CANCEL PER PIRE ABBUKANUE CUMA PANY OF MANOHESTER AND LONDON.

I HE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong Canton, Poochow, Shangbai, and Han-ROM this date, until further notice, a dis- kow and are propared to grant insurances at "HOLLIDAY, WISE & Oc. if 1868 Hongkone, 15th October, 1868. The Scottish imperial insurance

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227 Hongkong, 16th September, 1876.

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CHAS. C. COHEN. Honorary Secretary. 1807 Hougkong, 14th November, 1876.

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"YANGTSZE," E. Schultze, Master, will be despatched for the above Port TO.DAY (Wednesday), the 15th ace. matant, at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SEMSSEN & Co.

> 1814 Houghoug, 14th November, 1876. THE Steamebip "YESSO," Cuptain Punchard, will be despatched for the

above Ports on SUNDAY, the 19th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to -DOUGLAS LAPBAIK & Co. 1815. Hongkong, 14th November, 1876. FOR SAIGON.

HE Steamship "PENEDO." Cuptain J. Cain, will leave on MONDAY, the 20th instant, for the above Port.

For freight or Passage, apply to Bonbam Strand. 1816 Houskong, 15th November, 1876. CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

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Superintendent. 1818 Hongkong, 15th November, 1876. STEAM TO SHANGHAL THE P. S. O. S. N. Do.'s Steamship

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HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 7d 1821 Hongkong, 14th November, 1876. HEREBY give Notice that I will not be RESPONSIBLE for any Debt or Debte contracted by my wife, MARTA S. WOHLTERS/ or and after this date. ANDREW WOHLTERS.

14d 1788 Hongkong, 10th November, 1876.

Notices to Cousignees. FROM GLASGOW, LONDON PENANG,

AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Elgin having arrived, Conaigness of Carpo are hereby informed that their Goods are teing landed at their risk. by the Undersigned into their Godowns. whence from the Wharf or Bosts delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be sent on to Yokohama unless hotice to the contrary is given by Noon Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Agente Steamship Elgin.

1791 Hongkong, 12th November 1876. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY CONSIGNEES per Compuny's Steamer ANOHISES are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed

at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo The will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 9th November, 1876 Goods undelivered after the Inih November. 376, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenta. 8d 1783 Hangkong, 9th November, 1876. STEAMSHIP PEI HO. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES NOTICE. NONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship TNDUS, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are bereby informed

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and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. H. DU POUEY; 1749 Hongkong, 2nd November, 1876. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. NONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery; this Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No fire fugurance has been effected.

H. DU POULT

Agent Ex Per-he. 2nd November, 1876. 1 case Effects and Hats Hongkoug! 10th November, 1876.

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Daily Proce Office, November 13th, 1876.

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Hongkong, November 15th, 1876.

WE can most cordially join with the meeting held in the City Hall on Monday in deploring that the extradition clause of the Ashburton Treaty has been rendered temporarily inoperative, and have, indeed, already expressed our regret on this head. The charges brought against the captain and officers of the American barque C. O. Whilmore are so serious and so shocking that it is universally felt the ends of justice will not be satisfied auntil these men are surrendered to take their trial. This sentiment was most emphatically endorsed at the meeting, which most efficiently represented the public feeling of the Colony on the subject. It was thought by many that the probable escape of these men from all turther proceedings would be a scandal to society. It was considered that the interests of sailors and the credit of civilised mariners demanded that Captain Pranons and his mutes should be handed over to the American Authorities. This, under present conditions, is impossible. The Colonial Government has no power to surrender them, or it would willingly do so. Are they, then, to go forth free and unmolested? Public opinions eries vehemently, no. It was to give utterance to this opinion that the meeting on Monday was convened. The gat hering was, for this Colony, a very large, and, in every sense, a representative one. Composed of many nationalities, it had but a single voice. The resolutions were all arrived at unanimously; not a single dissenting hand was upraised against one of them.

The practical result of the meeting is a memorial to His Excellency the Governon, suggesting that he should without delay communicate to the Home Government, " requesting its sanction, not in accordance with any law or treaty, but simply as an act of justice, for the handing over to the American Naval or other authorities, either here or elsewhere, THOMAS PEABODY, late master, John Honey of Snow, late chief mate, and CHARLES STAFrord, late second mate of the C. O. Whitmore. This is certainly not an unreasonable request. It is made purely in the interests of justice. and if acceded to can, of course, only bo regarded as an act of international courtesy. As Dr. DENNYS pointed out, such a rendition is not without a precedent. We have a good one, and it comes from the Great Republic. In the year 1864 a Spaniard, named Colone Agrances, wascharged with having kidnapped some 120 persons, though he was at the Lime acting as agent for the Spanish Government Mr. Sharp brought a written consent with him an inevitable one on the part of the steamer. for the suppression of slavery. The effence was committed within the jurisdiction of the United States, and the Spanish Government asked for the rondition of this man. Spain had no extradition treaty with the United States, and could only make the request on the same grounds that the residents in this Colony now ask the British Government for the rendition of the master and officers Authorities. Mr. SEWARD, the great "a nation is never bound to durnish an asylum to dangerous oriminals who are offenders against the human race," on the part of the Washington Government gave up Agreeues to be dealt with by the tribupals of his country. That act of courtesy has recently been reciprocated by the Spanish Government. The notorious Tween, who with your activity in summoning a special jury, it may enable counsel to read for it. I never sider. As to the notices by which Mr. Brereton port to day. left his country for his own good, and pro ceeded first to Cuba, sailing from thence for Vigo, in Spain, was, at the request of the American Government, arrested on his arrival at that port by the Spanish Authorities and handed over to the representative of the United States. It will be seen, therefore, that the extradition of Acuenus led to the

apprehension of Boss Tween. It is, of course, impossible to predict what the Home Government will say to the request which Her Majesty's loyal subjects here have begged Sir Anthon Kennebr to forward. The differences between the British and American Governments will no doubt be Rettled shortly, and the extradition clauses of the treaty be in force again, And it is nincerely to be hoped that the case of the O. O: Whitmore will hasten this desirable event Meanwhile, bowever, the territory of either nation becomes a refuge for persons accused matter. of various crimes. It rests with the British Government to say whether it will adopt the initiative in a policy which will not only show good and friendly feeling, but will serve to one, as it appears likely to be from those books, extinguish in the breasts of criminals all hope of obtaining shellor from the laws they have What do the jury my? coffended against. There ought to be no will be none started. Between England and say perhaps two days.

America acts of courtesy should be more freely and readily interchanged than between any other nations. In this case, too, the request comes from a British Colony, which a most painful inquiry has been conducted, leading to a spontaneous and ducided expression of opinion which should not be lightly disregarded. The British Government is always ready to welcome those refugees consideration for that bond, Counsel took the selves to get out of the way. whose political or religious opinions have been the cause of their exile, and to such it over affords a scenre asylum; but to men who morely fice from the consequences of heir crimes or high misdemeanours, it never memorial of the inhabitants of Hongkong, and that justice will yet he satisfied by the conduct of the master and officers of vestigated in a court of law.

The Legislative Council will meet to-morrow at balf-past two o'clock p.in. H.M.S. Narcissus was safely doubed in the

Hope Dock, at Aberdeen, yesterday evening. The P. & O. steumsbip-Malwa, with the next outwards English muil, Teft Singapore on Monday morning.

The naunt fortnightly entertainment was given n the Topperance Hall on Monday evening, when a very enjoyable evening was apont by all

We are informed by the agents (Meters. Jar. dine. Matgeson & Con that the steamer Glenlloch left Singapore for this nort on Sunday, the 12th instant, at daylight.

The Chung Ngoi San Po and received intelligence that the Uhiness Government has made be following appointments: - Chan-lan-pan to be Chinese Minister at Washington Youg Wing, who was formerly a student in Yale College, to be Assistant Minister: Wong Sting o be utief translator and Scorotary; Chan-pas Nam to be Consulat San Francisco; and Ubad Shui Num, compradoro to Measts, Arnhold. Kurberg & Con to be Consul at Peru. The salaries of these officials are to be-Minister, 12,000 taels per annum . Assistant Minister. 8,000 tuels! Ohief Secretary 3,600 tuels; Consuls, 4,000 tacla. They will all shortly leave here for America to assume the duties of their appoint-

SUPREME COURT.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE THE CRIEF-JUSTICE SIR J. SMALE AND A JURY.

DAMAGES FOR COLLISION. LEONG SAN TAI V. THE MESSAGERIES MARI-TIMESCOMPANY. -The Acting Attorney-General

(Hon. J. Russell), instructed by Mr. Sharp, was for the plaintiff, and Mr. Brerston for the de-- The jary wore Messars, J. K. Davie, C. R.

Erdmann, and J. E. Squier, Mr. Brereton said he was instructed to object to the jurisdiction of the Court. His Lordship -But you appear. Mr. Brereton,-I appear under pr

he matter be referred to arbitration, but defenbe taken before a special jury.

does not tako my objecti n His Lordship-But if you take notep in a case you waive your objection. If a party to a suit appears and does not object in the first instance t seems to me he waives his objection. would be a submission to the jurisdiction, and baving once submitted you cannot afterwards take the objection.

Mr. Brereton said, with great respect, that and there were onnes in which it bud been so appenled. although pleadings has been entered and every- ble the court with.

in a Court of civil jurisdiction Mr. Brereton said be only mentioned in by allow a special plea to be put in under the in a little matter of \$1,000, baving got his Lord.

diction Mr. Brereton says be told Mr. Sharp vesterday, and Mr. Sharp denies that he did so. Panow these vessels have a certain status, and mostions have been raised upon it before, but that if I am not with you you would ask for an when they come into court they waive all their adjournment? rights, such as that they are not liable to Mr. Russell-Yes come into this court or that the Admiralty has no jurisdiction over them. The summons Thursday, and it would be very inconvenient to difference of opinion between two gentlemen has been taken out; and here is this letter and a special juty. Is that a farce or not? may be very improper conduct if you can show proceed, the question of jurisdiction being t; but Mr. Brereton says he has the right now reserved; also that it should be taken accord

to submit to the inrisdiction and shide by it. and I told him I could not sign it because I had and had not been put in: bese instructions; and it is my impression I told him so on a previous occasion. On the other hand, if the Court considers it bas juriadiction. I don't want to impose any obstacle, but it is my impression that from the first I told

Mr. Sharp I was instructed to object to the a special defence. His Lordship - Well, whatever, might be the allow a special defence to be entered at any result of such an investigation it would not bind | time; the defendants in this case. If Mr. Brereton has would be very improper conduct. If, on the adjust it de not hand, unintentionally, it is not improper conduct, and it does not preclude him from taking for their convenience. We had to send across are on the footing of common carriers of the objection now; at least, I am quite ready to to Macao to find the witnesses, who were sent messages. Common parriers may limit their telling the plaintiff that be could prosecute

Mr. Russell-A special jury was asked for, been put in which is not even signed. He calle own negligenes if proper words are introduced and Mr. Dennys, who did not attend at the trial and I understood it was purely a question of it a special defe te, and he has no right now to into the contract and if people will contract with vidence. The company do not dispute the fact say it is not a special defence. If it was worth them on such terms, in was remarked by Chiefof a junk being run down, and they simply drawing up, it was worth serving. He cannot Justice Cockburn in Philipps v. Clark, 26 L.J., wanted the decision of the Court on the circum. blow hot and cold, and now say it is not a special | C.P. 188. How far Courts of law would enforce

Mr. Brereton-I would nek your Lordship to take a note of my objection and then-His Lordship I won't take down notes when you tell me you are going to object. The and am content to rest on the general issue. Court does not sit here for idle purposes. Take bir. Russell-I will ask your Lordship to vered with a stemp and is partly invisible. The -night in number-were brought into port a change from our late delightful weather. Daily your objection at once, and say " We will not udichrn the case until to-morrow, because Mr. abmit to jurisdiction which under certain eir- Brereton has taken mo by enrorise. I have it numetances would be a proper one." If the on my brief that no objection would be diede as Menangeries choose to say that to the public let to the jurisdiction. them say so, but let me know it thoroughly. I will take your objection, and be lead by

Mr. Brereton-Lam instructed to do so. His Lordship-Then I am to understand the him to say he would not take objection. Measageries take objection to the only court Mr. Brereton-The instructions have come out from bome. His Lordship—That does not make it less a question of morals. You are seting under your

either take the objection or you do not.

Mr. Brereton-Certainly. tort arming out of a collision.

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that a man should take that."

the jurisdiction of the court-

this objection you ought to have filed affidavits belonging to the last witness until they were of all the terms necessary for a complete non- the same province; and also he'd office as acting

deal too much notion of being in Sammary collision was inevitable. If the june had had a Court. I don't recognise rough and ready light it must have been seen by the lookout justing. I must gither have the facts proved or man, the officer on the bridge, and another. admitted, or I am going without compass or witness who would be produced. If they bad Mr. Russell-Well, as your Lordship sees, the | finit. whole thing is a perfect surprise to us. tinotly yesterday that you would object to the

Mr. Brereton-Yes; be brought a written consent, which I refused to sign, as I was precluded by my instructions. His Lordship . Then you had notice, Mr. Russell-Mr. Sharp tells me this case was argued before Mr. Justice Showden in Cham-

His Lordship-Well, Mr. Sharp had notice. Mr. Russell-He says not. I know nothing judgmente: After some conversation it was admitted for the plaintiff that the sollision took place more than three miles from Hongkong, and that the

junk was owned by a Chinese aubject, he not

having a domioile in Hongkong. Mr. Brereton said that if either of the vensels had been an English vestel he thought there could have been no question astothe parisdiction buthe argued that as both were owned by foreign. ers their acts were not augminible by the Court In support of his contention he referred to the Merchant Shipping Act. 17 and 18 Vic., cap 104, and the Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Ack, arguing that as certain powers were Mr. Russell said the plaintiff had asked that specially given to the Courts by those Acts. larger powers could not exist apart from those dan's themselves had proposed that it should | Acts Before the passing of those Acts there was no law in case of a collision happening between His Lordship-Why, you have obtained the British ships and foreign ships on the high neas, or à fartiers between two foreign ships. Mr. Brereton-That is provided the court | The remedy would be in a court of the country

> · His Lordship and that still left the question Mr. Brerston remarked that if the collision ship, the court would have had jurisdiction: Mr. Russell asked his Lordship to take a note

of that admission. His Lordship said the Messageries Maritimes was his own impression for a considerable time. knew that to their cost, and they bad never held, but from Dr. Lushington it appeared that Mr. Brereton said this was all he would trou-

power at the hearing, if it thought fit, to outside jurisdiction. It seemed a strange thing Mr. Russell-I was led to understand clearly | go into the question of jurisdiction. And if Mr. Brereton told Mr. Sharp, which he says he did, and Mr. Sharp says he did not-Mr. Brereton-Mr. Sharp cannot deny that.

His Lordship-You mean, Mr. Attorney Mr. Brereton said the vessel would leave on

postnone the case. He suggested that the case to make the objection, and he says " I will prove | ing to the general maritime law, the rules of

England not being applied Mr. Brereton-I told Mr. Sharp yesterday, Mr. Brereton said the defence was that the most distinctly, that I was instructed to object. junk showed no light, and that the accident was Mr. Russell said that was a special defence.

Mr. Brercton said be prepared the opeou defence, but his clerk had not served it. His Lordship To on it is negligence. Mr. Broreton - Not on my part. His Lordship-Then you must go on without

Mr. Brereton-Your Lordship has power to

His Lordship-Well, if you like to stand the costs of the day, I will consider whether I should Mr. Russell-The whole thing has been done ear him on that point, but as at present advised tored, and we are here to meet their defende responsibility to any extent even so as to protect | defendants for perjury if he could get sufficient to-day. Now a special defence is said to bave themselves against the consequences of their evidence. Mr. Holmes appeared for defendant defence. I take it that is a thing that campot be such contracts on the part of public companies His Lordship-How do you propose to deal allowed. The object of a special defence is that if injurious to public policy I need not now conunticipated for a mamour that this anguing des seeks to limit the liability of the Company, one fence of its being an inevitable accident would

Mr. Brerston-I withdraw the epsoial defence

Mr. Breveton-I told Mr. Shurp. Mr. Sharp-I certainly understood Mr. Brerethink the law is with you. If so, nothing shall ton would not take any objection. We had prevent my acceding to your view, but you some conversation about it before, and perfectly admit Mr. Brareton and. "I won! sign any actual consent, but I quite understood

Mr. Bretaton-I sold him most distinctly Lion between the different Governments who His Lordship-Did he my soything of that and I drew his attention to his letter.

His Lordsbip-Well, I will listen to what you rents Mr. Brereton coming into cours and to the plaintiff's notice, and so they do not bind say with great pleasure, and I am sure you will taking objection legally. You cortainly are not bim. I see no reason for altering the judgment ship a very short time. This is an action of being the value of the junk and its contents, defendant.

His Lordship. Then you will probably wait, deck. There was no wind and they could not say in court that they were not even brokers, water. gentlemon. I think in a question of jurisdiction movest all. Thestermer passed by the Wing Woh but merely acted as friends of a ways that are dark "Ac., &c., commend regular police doing buty on the surrounding we should have the assistance of Mr. Snowden. Hop and came right on the steer of the Was Lea. who was in Hongsong buying sugar for a last othe vollow-skinned some of Hun. One of hills, watching, with an hawk's eye the dreaded I will just speaklto him on the subject. On There were ten people on board and cue of them London firm, for which Pusting and Go are the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and bis return into poort his Lordship said. Mr. her pever been found. The other him were agents: A preliminary question gross at the that the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and bis return into poort his Lordship said. Mr. her pever been found. The other him were agents: A preliminary question gross at the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and bis return to poort his Lordship said. Mr. her pever been found. The other him were agencies that the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and the latest and certainly most agencies france approach of an enemy. It will be a tedious and the latest and certainly most agencies france. Snowden is too much engaged with other cases, picked up by a sampan which pame to their trial under the Sociate of Prands Well kupwn scattery steamer, the the peace of Nagasak! Ken will remain unbroken but I must present one precedent to you which assistance from the other junk. The witnesses | sou, for the defendants, contended that there is exptain of which, being a man with music in and endisturbed. Rising Bur. I dare my your remember. A poble peer was all said they had the usual light, that there was no evidence of the contract to satisfy the his soul possessed amongst other arnoles a sued on a bond, and he took objection to the no wind, and that they could do nothing them statute. This is always a nice question and piano, the back of which was converted by his objection, and the Chief Justice of England said Witnessen were then on led, who gave evidence Section 17 of the Statute of Frauda requires, At well molassen, converted into opium ! If was a will not hear you on each an objection; it is in accordance with this attement, is well known, in the case of the sale of goods splendid Chatolia seizore leading contrary to morals, it is contrary to good law Mr. Brereton and the action was defended on above the value of £10, in the absence of a per- Wa hear, that in addition to the excellent principle, and in justice to the officers of this feet contract in writing, either first, past accepts supply of Colong Ten now fornished by the ing variety to the programme, and gave the Mr. Broreton Well, I have no discretion in vessel, the public, and indeed, he might say, the matter, neither has the gentleman who Chinese homenthing the might say, the mi instructs me, and I am bound to follow instruct who follow maritime pursuits. He had been note or memorandum of the said bargain made son's less in Congon. This really new tea was programme and by seeing that there were no instructed to object to the jurisdiction of and signed by the parties to be charged with produced in very small quantity at the cominstructed to object to the jurisdiction of and signed by the parties to be charged with produced in very small quantity at the cominstructed to object to the jurisdiction of and signed by the produced in very small quantity at the cominstructed to object to the jurisdiction of and signed by the produced in very small quantity at the cominstructed to object to the jurisdiction of and signed by the produced in very small quantity at the cominstructed to object to the jurisdiction of an excellent

the estimated value of a junk and its contents a just one, and he might tell them that if plete contract in writing, in one single doon, experts as the Toong We Toong full flavoured which sank in consequence of a collision with the agent of this company or the captain or ment, but letters are put in evidence in Pekce Southong Kalsow." the French mail steamer Anadyr, which was on officers had the elightest reason for believing which it is argued the required memorandum . The promoters of the approaching Ruce the pussage from Shanghai to Hongkong on the vessel was in fault they would not for a of the bargain is to be found, signed by an Meeting may be congretulated on the great complete on the vessel was in fault they would not for a of the bargain is to be found, signed by an Meeting may be congretulated on the great complete on the great complete of the bargain is to be found, signed by an Meeting may be congretulated on the great complete of the bargain is to be found, signed by an Meeting may be congretulated on the great complete of the bargain is to be found. The particulars showed moment come into Court. They would not be successed by an interest of the bargain is to be found. It has success they have already achieved. It is under-programme, that for cutters being won by C. O. Whitmore towards the crew being in the collision occurred on the bigh seas and being the farishetion to delend the interior bedance it was an unjust bargain may be collected from numerous ordinarily attractive, and that it will include Clochesterie, the latter, however, winning the gig of the court. The colliding ressel alleged to claim. The evidence be would put before them writings, should not be be leavered events not noticeable as recent meetings. have done the mischief was a French vessel would show in the clearest manner that the anticiently connected, contain all the terms of The ladies always distinguished by their The injured ressel, which was sunk, and the accident prose entirely from the negligence of the the contract, and are duly signed. The letters encouragement of field sports baye, we are owner of which now brought this action, was a junk people themselves. Plaintiff a witnesses had are as follows :- The plaintiffs write-English subject. Both of the vessels being of the vessel. He was instructed they had no the vessels of foreigners, as rogards. English light whatever, and it was simply in sounce law, and the collision having occurred out of quence of that that this accident arose all at. you that we shall hold you unswerable for the will be redarded by the fortunate winner as The night was dark, but clear, and the reseed 500 picula sugar, actually bought from you multi secundus. His Lordship—We have not got that. Is it was going at the rate of twelve knots an hour, yesterday at \$2.60 per picul, as well as for the The newly appointed Vicercy of Min Cheh dmitted?

It was the rarest thing possible to see any quantity of 1.500—2,0 0 picula Sugar which (Fabkien and Chehkiang) is a member of the Mr. Ruesell-Well, we tried to find out the of these fishing boats with lights. On this we bought from you at \$2.60, and deliverable Hanlin College, having prior to entering that place on the man, but could not determine it. night the first officer of the vessel was on the in about ten days. His Lordship-Well, we must adjourn for bridge and was looking through a pair of glasses an affidavit. I cannot go on on facts that with view of steering clear of junks which irregular altogether. If you intended to take did not and could not bave seen the jank This letter, it will be seen, contains a statement was promoted to the Jadgeship (Nie-ter) in

> on the starboard. The necessary order was and Co. The defendants, whose trade named is His Lordship But the same law applies given to port. They got clear of that, but the Tack Mee and Co answered by their solicitors, unloss it is otherwise provided. There is a great moment after the other junk appeared and the Mesers. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, who write no light the accident was entirely their own M. Louis Blane, chief officer of the Analyz,

His Lordship-Did you tell Mr. Sharp die- then gave evidence to this effect. He said that after the accident the vessel was stopped but seeing another junk going to the assistance of the disabled junk she proceeded on her way. Having ant until nearly seven o'clock, the Court adjourned until ten this morning.

BRIOBE MR. JUSTICE SHOWDEN.

His Lordship now delivered the following

the delendant, who is the manager for the Great | mentioned. It also speake of Wing Hing and Northern Telegraph Company, as a deposit for | Co., being the principals of the defendants. in noknowledgment of the receipt of a telegram is signed by Messrs. Sharp, Tollar, and Johntransmitted by the plaintiff to Barcelona son. Plaintiffs write again on October 10th through the system of lines united by the claiming of defendants; as principals International Convention of 1875. I readily demanding delivery of the engar which they say granted a rebearing as the defendant was not | had arrived. There is another letter. represented professionally in Cart, and I of October 21st, not put in evidence. On thought it possible that he is not sufficiently 23rd, Messrs. Sharp and Oo., reply to that letter acquainted with English courts of law to place | and more distinctly state that Tack Mee and Co., his case before the court in the most favourable | bad instructed them to say that they were only way, although be speake English very well. On locating as brokers to the Wing Hing Hong to the first trial I gave the judgment for the plain. | whom plaintiffs are to apply. I have had som tiff, on the ground, not that there was a special doubts whether a solicitor writing on behalf of contract, as was breed by Signor Ferrando, but bis client would be such an agent, but upon there was proof of a general contract that the consideration I do not see why he should not plaintiff should receive no acknowledgment of bol All that the statute requires is that there the arrival of his telegram within a reasonable | should be some note or memo, as evidence that time in consideration of his paying \$2 for | there was a contract so that fraud in setting un the le ters. "C. R." and making a deposit of a parely fictitions sale might be avoided. If \$20. I also thought that there was evidence solicitor instructed by his client writes a letter of a ful e representation on which the plane | admitting the alleged contract and stating that tiff would be entitled to recover damages bis client acted merely as broker there would if he preferred to adopt that view, subject be sufficient syldence of the bargain. That he to any-limitation of liability the defendants | repudiates being principal is not material, as a might be able to set up. The principle seemed long series of cases has established, if the terms to me to be the same as how been laid in actions of the bargain are referred to and adopted. But against railway companies, whose time-tables new terms must not be introduced. After promise one thing, and whose trains perform | onreful consideration I have come to the con another. The cases are numerous, but I will clusion that Mr. Johnson's letter does not cononly refer to Denton v. The Great Northern | tain any admission of the bargain as stated in Telegraph Company, L. J. Vol. 25 p 133. Lord the plaintiffe letter of October 5th. He says and amity was made with Japan. He was also the time-table contained a false representation, | same principal Mesers. Wing Hing Hong will His Lordship said that was in reference to Admiralty, supposing the Admiralty bad juris- and that the delendants had made themselves be ready to sell them to you at \$2.60 per pion Admiralty, and he gould not follow the practice diction in a collision between two foreign liable either way, that is, either for the breach should they arrive as expected in 10 or 15 days of contrast, or for the tort. I thought so at the This, so far from being an admission of a pre-Mr. Russell then replied, and said that outside trial, and I have beard nothing to induce me | vious sale, implies that no sale had taken place way of analogy and referred the court to Taylor. British jurisdiction the meneral maritime law to alter my opinion since, that the representation and only states a willingness to sell on the part must be the rule, the etatutary provisions of tions of Mr. Poulsen, made most innocently, no of some third person. That is a very differen he intended to take this objection. The court English law not applying to foreign vessels doubt, amounted to such a false representation matter he evidence of a past bargain is rein the local cense, as to be on the same footing | quired. Had be maid. " will be ready to deliver as the time-tubles. I also thought, and on this | tuem," nold" instead of "nell" them. I think the ship and a special jury into court, they should ground I preferred to give my decision, that there issue would be complete. Besides, Mr. Johnson's was a centract that had never been performed. | letter mentions 10 or 15 days as the time within The acknowledgment has not arrived to this which the edgar was to arrive the plaintiff say day so that the question of a reasonable time about 10 days. This also would, I think for acknowledging a telegram, where the no a variance. Too terms not stated in the plaintiff knowledgment was of the greatest importance letter are set up, and, as Chief Justice, Erle reand was paid for our sourcely arise. At the marked in Wilkinson v. Evans, L. R. I. O. p. trial I did not think it necessary or desirable to 411, quoting from smith v. Surnam. 9 B. and enter with any minuteness into the grounds of | C. P. 691, two writings alleging two different my decision, so as to avoid turning a mere contracts can never form together a memore as to when the small sum of \$20 should be no memorandum in writing of the bargain usking that the onse be taken by Mr. Snowden should be proceeded with and the point of law returned, into a sort of personal question. Mr. required by the statute, dadgment for defendant Bojeson, as I understood at the first trial, and as with costs. - Mr. Breveton was for the plaintiff Die Lordship-Well, it may be a force, and it It was arranged that the case should be distinctly stated at the rebearing, has never and Mr. Johnson for the defendants. refused to return the \$22, but merely says "the time has not arrived because no official intimation as to what line is in fault has yet ship now delivered judgment in this case. This that to the Court." It may be very improper the road according to the municipal law of come to hand. Mr. Brereton, put in a special, was a question of partnership. The second defence on two grounds; first that the defendants defendant, who was under contract to the are protected from liability by certain notices povernment to do the scavenger's work in the on their printed forms of non-liability, the town, admitted the plaintiffs' claim. The fire second that Mr. Poulsen and Mr. Bojeson were not agents of the Company to make the alleged contract. Mr. Brersten was mislead no doubt by the special contract on which the plaintiff relied at the trial. The learned counsel for plaintiffs against the second defendant; and for the plaintiff, Mr. Handley, disposed entirely of the first defendant. Mr. Helence was for the any question of the incompetency of the agents. plaintiffs, and Mr. Sharp for the first defendant.

responsibility. I need not enter into it. The case AND SAME V. WONG-YER KA, -In these cases bited. MacAndrew T. The Bleetric Telegraph Company, 25 L. J., p. 26, differs in this respect, plaintiff's story, and told them that he had not that the Electric Telegraph Company was decided whether he would have them proceeded formed under an Act of Parliament which con- for perjury. Judgment for desendants in both powers it to make conditions limiting its liability if reasonable. The companies here are not under the control of any special law, and desprished and had nob been brought to plain would seem, however, that aboriginal grisvances of transportation. tiff's notice, and so pour dinot be imported into are rife as ever: the contract. Besides, the printed police is co. We heat that a party of shipwrecked Coreans with a light sprinkle of rain. This betokens a: other notice is printed on the form supplied for few days ago. They were kindly received by News Correspondent. writing down telegraphic messages. I do not the Chinese Authorities, and have since been intend to put an interpretation on these notices; sent to one of the northern ports in an Arsenal I will only say that, in my opinion, if operative gunboat, they only refer to consequential damages and The Chinese gnoboat Feigues has, we onder reward which it undoubtedly merits. It has come are only convincing for us Christians.

by Mr. Breveton, are articles of the conven' regulations introduced by ling Fotal. are htyled the High Contracting parties, and rnles are made to regulate the transmission of telegrams between the companies incorporated no responsibility. This is printed on the former His Lordship-Then you had notice. I don't and I have dealt with it before. It is the only

Louguak also had a light burning when they the Court. The plaintails, Mente, Pustance to the giver where the was lying when may but certainly the propertions made either sent to him:

bas formed the subject of much discussion, aunting Asiatic steward into a receptacle fordesires to give either shelter or countenance. His Lordship Very well, now we will take it. the Court. That was in consequence of the said on the lawfully authorised. The last older account the colebrated outrigger race was well to defeating plaintiff a dain if it, was give a prompt and ready acquiescince to the ment. He said the plaintiff alaim if it, was give a prompt and ready acquiescince to the ment. He said the plaintiff alaim if it, was plaintiff a dain if it will be a supported to the ment. He said the plaintiff alaim in the final hoat; Messre.

> " Mosers. Tack Mee & Co. We are dear Sira,

n letter of same date.

"Supreme Court House, panded us your letter to them of to-day for ment in July list. His Escellency in a native reply. They beg as to inform you, that the 500 of Canton. We may look for his arrival hore pioule of augur in question bave already been very shortly. Frochow Herald; sold and dolivered by their principals, Mesure Wing Hing & Co. to you through your compradore. With regard to the 1500 pionla of sagar, the same principals, Megers. Wing Hing. & Co., will be ready to sell them to you at \$2.60 per pioni, should they arrive as expected in te or fifteen days; which they instruct us was the arrangement agreed upon.

" we are dear Sira

Yours faithfully. - SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON. FERBANDO V. BOJESEN -This is a review of It contains a direct reference to the last lette judgment given by me in an notion instituted the names of defendants and the sale of 50 by the plaintiff to recover \$22 paid by him to picula. But the sale of the 1,500 pionis is no andum in writing of a bargain. I think there i CHAN YEE AND OTHERS V. MAK KWON MING AND LUM TUE WING, \$300.-His Lord

defendant's partner but only bis surety. His Lordship bold the defendants were not in partnership: -Judgment was given for the was given for \$25 with interest. His Lordehip appeared for phintiff.

H.B.M.S. Fly arrived in port on the 7th

ment from office, there is now, we pear, some genist, to remoiseful conscience. probability that His Excellency's resignation . Few Companies lieve worked more assis will not be accepted an Peking. There is no Languely in furtherance of the true interest of Mr. Sharp—Hedid say something of that kind, in the convention. By article S they accept doubt whether that Thug's reforms hapsed a Japan than the Mitte Bish: S.S. Co. In times and I draw his attantion to his letter.

no responsibility. This is printed on the former certain uncasiness at the Capital, but it is posse of apposition, rates and fares are so reduced as mible that the Imperial advicers are not prepared to diminish the contents of the Exchequer very think conversation between the soliditors pre- part of the rules brought directly and especially with a better man to fill the post.

The Olimese converte Yang Woo Captain from the confert of the most gifted of contemporary German poets. Luxuore, R.N., made an attempt to leave fore an advance in fures and freights in himes of His most popular works are "Der letzte Ritonly give what is substantial and right in the at one in your recollection of what took place. before given. It dissittisfied the defendant one Payoda Anchorage for a druise to Singapore inescopely must not be considered uptensonable. Let," " School Die Spaniergange sines Mr. Russell then stated his case, He said the appeal. Judgment confirmed Mr. Handley and other ports in the South and other ports in Mr. Broreton I will only dotain your Lord particulars of the claim amounted to \$1,800, was for the plaintiff, and Mr. thereton for the principle of providing for a rainy was empayed in correcting the proof sheets of a starting, but that the necessary repairs, bute day, we notice that an increase of rates of new work, which it is expected will shortly leave and the suit was brought for \$1,000 to bring it Postan and Co. v. No Moon Koon and since been effected, and that she may ready to major due notice had been previously given, the press. The deceased was an Austrian privy His Lordship If the argument is to be a long within the Summary Jurisdiction of the Court. Amornian — this action is brought to recover start again this morning. A Chinese Admiral came into operation on the lat instant. A feeling of anxiety bordering on shirts exists. House and of the Austrian Imporial Academy.

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given to understand, afforded a substantial

enbacribing, with eager and citremely laudable "DEAR SIBS,-We berewith beg to inform promptitude, to a purse-which, let us hope, high Imperial foundation in 1847, won the first of the three literary degrees. In 1865, he was goods were insured, but a quantity of account appointed Taotu of Luchow Fa and Fong Yang books have been burnt, which will cause great For in the province of Ngon-hui. In 1867. within probably fifty yards of her. The man fract, names of the parties article and quantity. Fantai. He was then promoted to the Fantai. Mr. Brereton-We are in Summary Juriedic- on the lookout at once reported a vessel price, time of delivery, and is signed by Pustau whip (Treasurer) of Huper; and became temporary governor of that province in 1869. was next transferred to the Fantaiship of Shansi province; and in 1870, became Fut it of Kiangsu. Later on he held the acting appointment of Governor General of the two Kings (at Nanking). He then went into mourning for 3 DEAR STRE. - Mesare. Tuck Moe & Co. have years - and returned to Peking for an appoint-

HANKOW.

on Tuesday last between the Kestrel, with Q. R. Junuaton, Eag, and the H. C. C.: which owing to the go d playing of Mr. Johnston, who made a score of 54 on the first innings; resulted in a victory for the Kestrel. The community was favoured with a perform ance by the Kestrel "Minetrel Troupe", last the songs were fresh, and in a few cases original the entertainment afforded a very agreenble residents pass here. We are buying ou to cold ing at forty-one degrees, being twenty-eight degrees lower than two days previous which makes the cold felt more severely coming upon

us so suddenly. - Courier Correspondent. Ist November The Chihli, which left here yesterday morning recently Secretary of the American Legation t Poking. He left Peking the 25th of Ootober ust 43 years from the day of his lauding a Onton; a longer period of assinhess than has fallen to the lot of most persons in China. Williams come to China under the auspices of the "American Board," and in charge of the ociety's Press at Canton. He continued in that relation until the Somety disposed of its Press, and slosed that department of missionary operations in Conton. He was intimately and laboriously connected with that valuable work the "Objuste Repository," which owed its success, and also much of its value and interest very largely to him. He was Interpreter to Commodore Perry, on his visits to Japan in 1853 and 1854, when the first treaty of peace ant influence in connection with the treaty of 858 with China. As Secretary of Legation, he has won the respect and esteem of both Foreign ers and Chinese. His knowledge of the Chinese language is excelled by few if any. With the familiar. He is most extensively known by his of Tobernny ff, but complain bitterly of his bar-Kingdom," and by his large." Dictionary of the It is beyond question that the Servicin generalisthe Chinese Language." His departure from Ohina will be felt as a personal loss by many

On Saturday evening, the 28th altimo, the the Nizams, Rediff, and Bashi-Bazonka. That lecture on the Centennial Exhibition, which at his door is certainly an injustice, for the was very interesting. The proceeds of the maining and mutilating of the enemy's wounded lecture were generously donnied by the lecturer and dead is such a firmly routed custom among

was delivered. injuries were inflicted by them on inmates of burials the coffice are left open, the the houses broken into, resulting, in one or two being carried by four young men especially instances, in death. Some of the burglars have chosen for that purpose, and the dead may be been exceeded.

It is said that the recent Ohin Haien. Mr. Heian, bas been encouraging the Hun Haing wheat or maize in the grave with the dead, and Tes or black-mailers, in their neferious business. They have now become almost or quite un. few pinetres, but among the rich even gold manageable. They are implicated in these pieces) in their hands, while at least once a year borglavies. It is thought that Heian Lau Ye's corn and wind are brought to the graves. But request for sick leave was prompted by big the more they reverence their own dead, whom inability to control an agency which be has they fear, the more they believe they will injure permitted to establish its if within his juris. | the foe dishonouring his dead in every condistion. It remains to be seen whether bis successor. Mr. Wu, will be able to suppress the Besides the Customs Taotal, there are other Government officers appointed to apecia

departments in connection with the revenue of this place. One of the officere has charge of wickedness my blood boiled with indignation. the tribute grain. Another is appointed by the There you see your Christianity, said my Board of Works, and has to collect the duty on all wood; timber, and wooden articles com ng although at first I protested warmly against to Tientsin. It has long been a goestion among dearer than formerly. And they have just discovered. Lam informed, that after paying duty as a foreign article of import, this weatleman of the " toard of Works "levies a second duty on them, on the score that they are wooden articles. And so the poor people must suffer. fully the objections of the Turks. When I told For ways that are dark." do.

parts. The ead question is, "What are we to do variations on the text, By their fruits you shall that many must die of starvation. Though large quantities of grain are arriving by steamer. it is insufficient, and moreover currot reach to war, thus impressing even on the inhumanities was on the bill sent after the telegram had been recent defeat of imperialists in Formosa. It any great distance inland with the present modes A cold northerly wind is blowing this evening.

Rebellion seldon fails to meet with

under the circumstances of this case could not stand, been sent to sea in scarch of the missing been no secret that many of the Kumamoto possiby protest the company from a de German ressel Johanno-to which we referred rioters have unnaged to hover around Nagosaki Christianity, but not for Mahomotans, who mand made upon them to refund money paid a few weeks ago, It is satisfactory to find in for some days. Three of those gentry were upon a consideration which has failed. The this, and other acts, evidence of a continued entrapped and brought in on the 3rd inst. under who can enter into the feelings of a nonrules put in and rolled apon very much desire to sincerely carry out the new salvage the more genial protection of Japanese bayonets. and being secured in police cells were lot to Concerning Ting Future rumoured retire- rumbate over their misfortune, or, if more conconsiderably, without in the least detracting who died on the 12th September, was probably one, as it appears likely to be from those books. This junk was nebling with others off the island 3),000 damages for the mon-performance of a lis on board in superior command.

A feeling of anxiety bordering on slares exists House and of the Austrian Imperial Academy, probably the jury won't be very well'entertained of Kwoholow, north of Hongkong. At three contract to sell Lison plouts of suger. The We regret to leave ut a prehap to the performance to sell Lison plouts of suger. The by it and could be sent away natil wanted polock on the morning of the 21st June, two dumages are estimated at the difference between pilot boat Mary of Attoms, by of the junks, there below no wind, were bove to, the price, at the date of the contract and Johnson at the Possbow Dock. The resent seventiath A Jurymen - It depends upon bow long Mr. when they saw a large steamer coming from at the date of the bringing of the bringing

Mr Electron. Oh, I promise it was be one saw the stee mer approximating. They made a noise in the fact that they bought the Nesso came in this afternoon. It is hoped to endure a siege or demolish a rising are of the novel of the Nesso came in this afternoon. It is hoped to endure a siege or demolish a rising are of the novel of the noise steeper of the noise steep ment is now in the bands of the military, the

The News says the autumn regatts, which took place on the 21st altimo, was most successful. Many ladies graced the pavilion with their presence; the men-of war's more lentan interest-Bernard and F. Low beat Mesers. C. T. Thornis oraft and J. Honderson in a double sculling race. Mr. F. Walsh won the cance race. A

SINGAPORE.

We regret to announce that a great fire broke of on the 17th alt. on the promises of Messra Powell & On, in the Square, which has done njury to the extent of \$10,000. Every possible effort was made by the residents, the blue rackets, and the soldiers, to check the firmes. out hafortanitely not attended with success until two back godowns in which a valuable miscellaneous collection of goods of all kinds was stored, had been totally consumed. The

A territle tragedy has occurred at Deli Owing to the courtesy of the Consul-General for the Netherlands we are in a position to state that the house of Mr. Lahmann, a planter at Scenge Diski, in the district of Deli. was attacked on the 17th ult. by a party of Lahousmedan Battaks, who brutally murdered Mre. Lehmann and two ohildren and seriously wounded Mr. Lebonand and bis assistant, Mr. Revenenz, formerly in the Telegraph office here. Thirty people have been arrested on suspicion and have been taken to Labuan. There is no political motive attributed to the deed, private revenge being the only leeling which distated it. It is not yet known whether Mr. Lebmann and Mr. Revening will recover. It is officially reported from Deli that no apprehension need A very interesting Orioket Match was played lexist in regard to the safety of residents in that quarter. - Straits Times.

> THE KUMAMOTO REBELLION. For some time past, it has been pretty poner-

ally known that a feeling of discontent and distrust lay dormant in the breasts of many evening at the Claiety Theatre. In passed off samurais, principally owing to the capitilization very well and was pronounced by all to be a of their pensions. The Government thought to success. As most of the jokes and several of take time by the forelook, and summoned several of the most influential to Tokio, in order to arrive it possible at an amicable settlement. change to the usual quiet evenings which most From events which have happened at Kumamoto it is apparent that the course decided upon weather here at present the thermometer stand. failed to make a salutary impression on the rebol's heart, and now matters have come to olimar, and an eppeal to the sword will decid the issue. Our present information is somewhat mengre, but sufficient is known to make it preity. certain that a most serious rehellion has broken out at Kumamoto; that the robels first attacked captured, and fired the barracks, that a general battle took place, in which the Governor, Vice-Governor, three samurais and 416 men were killed; that the Gwernment troops were defeated, and that the rebels afterwards set the town on fire. One hundred and eighty rebels are said to have been killed, but the actual number is undertain. These are the only reliable facts now known, and further news is anxiously awaited. We have no doubt but that when the Gavernment reinforcements arrive. which are pouring in from all quarters, the ramifications of the disturbance will be arrested, and the strong arm of peace, law, and order, brought to bear on the rebellious spirits, in an irresistible manner. Like all other civil wars, the rebels may make a little headway at first, but the day is past when a combination of a few clans could hope to successfully combat the power and prestige of the presont Government. -Rising Sun.

THE "CHRISTIANITY" OF THE SERVIANS. The correspondent of the Standard at Nish writes as follows on the 14th September :- "The Turkish generals, I think without exception. ? reougnise the extraordinary activity and energy barity, or, what is more correct, that of his troops. aimo is super of to most of the Turkish generals that be almost always takes the initiative, and while every good and noble cause or work has lower his want of success less to the talents of the Turkish officers than to the heroism of the cruelties practised by the Servious are laid. to the Temperance Hall, in which the lecture | the Bouth Folars, that the orders of one man, and a loreigner besides, are utterly powerless Several robberies have been reported of late to abolish or restrict it. The South Polara Which a crncific rests. The relations place often put the obolus for Charon (generally a ceivable manner, and in this -a fact which is,

perhaps, the worst complaint of all ngainst the character of the South Solave—they exhibit a abamolest obscenity. I always shaddered as Turks, but at the sight of such revolting companions to me, often with a sneer, and the barbarous treatment of the Turkish dead wounded and prisoners at the bands of so-called Christians, being laid to the charge of Christianity I soon left off trying to convince my Turkish friends what griovous wrong they did our Church ... Olever heads must undertake the task: I found myself unable to meet or refute them that cruelty showed a very rude under-Distressing accounts of suffering among the standing of Obristianity, and was strictly forbidden by Ohristian morality, they replied with know them, and be appealed to innumerable newspapers, which in the name of Ohristianity advocated the cause of the Servicus and the ecific Christian character, they added When I declared I was a Protestant, and the Eastern Church only formed a part of the Christian Catholic Church, they brought forward the efforts made by the Catholic Congress at Bonn last year to effect a union between the Anglican and Eastern of Greek Church, and recalled on English deputation sent to Belgrade years ago on a similar mission. The reasonings with which such objections are met and overwho know the true unione and easence of only judge of it by its outward effects. Those Christian will eastly understand how it is that Islamism in the greater part of Africa, and in some parts of Asia displays even in these days a more successful propagating activity than all

> both materially and intellectually." Count Auton Anersperg (Andatasine Grun).

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DISAGREEABLE SITUATION. Among other useful contrivances which have of late years been suffered to become extinct is the "man-trap." The anfal warning once so commonly exhibited in suburban gardens, "man-traps and spring game set on these pre-initial," is no longer to be seen, and the burglar	PRONGKONG TEMPERATURE (Prom Messay, FALCONER And Co. & Brown Revember 14th. Barometer—9 A.M	The state of the s
now scales the wall and enters the house of the slumbering immates without at least the fear of being caught in the fron grip of one of these mechanical policemen. Some idea may be formed of the discomfort and danger to which the thief or trespasser of former days was exposed owing to this machine by an account given in the Benger Whig, a Maine journal of a disagreeable	Thermometer—1 P.M. Thermometer—2 R.M. (Wet beild) Thermometer—1 P.M. (Wet beild) Thermometer—4 P.M. (Wet build) Thermometer—Maximum Thermometer—Minimum (over alghb)	ないないにはないのできませんだいができます
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man remained in the trap, when two men, hearing his faint cries for assistance, came his resone. He had, it seems, cried frequently for help as he heard carriages passing, but the sound of the wheels probably drowned his voice. He had	THERMOMETER, THE STATE OF THE S	は、大学 一大学 一大学 一大学
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The Neelogos, the principal Greek journal in Constantinople, has published a long article attributing the insurrection in the Obristian provinces of Turkey to a continued and systematic course of Russian pamphlets and emissaries. It argues that the other Powers of Europe have importantly played into the bands of Russia, and prolonged the disturbances by a half-recognition of the insurgents. The Neelogos asserts that the Berlin Memorandum, if presented, would have at once exasperated the	DARGEREE level of the soa in anches, tens, and hunder frankomeree, in Pahrenheit degrees and tens, kept in it in a chiefed situation. Direction of Wied, is registered every two points, I N.E. ko. Forom of Wied.—Centm. I to 3 light breeze. 3 to 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong. 3 to 10 heavy. To to 19 vis stars of Whather.—B. Clear blue sky. C. Clondy. I. Vag. G. Foggy. If Hail L. Lightning. M. Overchet. P. Panning showers. Q. Squally, R. Rainy. T. Thunder. V. Bud. threatening. P. Visibility. Z. Calm. The letters are repeated to indicate any inclusions average of their signification.	N O I

on the part of the Christians, a general rising, i This entastrophe was prevented by the action of regulered from I to 24, and the quantity of water fallen indicated in England in refusing to just the Berlin Note: inches tens and bundreds. by the energetic action of Sir Henry Elliot, and he timely full of Sultan Abdul Aziz, in whose continued misgovernment by the hopes of the Russian party. Their disgnat at being sheek. mated and exposed was untural, and equally was it that they should vent their disgust, by skilfully fanning the present excitement in England. This they effected by exaggerating those Bulgarian massacres for the origin of which they were directly responsible, and by stimulating, if not inventing, the charges against Sir Henry lill of negligence and indifference. The Neologos prints out how few were the trustworthy sources of Sir Henry's information, and how specially untrustworthy were the reports of the Punshivist organs. The Neologos, however, while showing how much more statesmanlike has been the policy of England than that anguated has fur as anything is anguested by Mr. Gladstone, admits that the continued misconduct of Turkey has made it very difficult to personere in that policy, and the disgrade of failure fails, however illegically, on the Government which happens to be now in power. The present Government, however, hus not, according to the Neologos, confined itself to the expression of large and statesmanlike views The British Ambassador here has unceasingly consured abuses, and by the bold and skilfal execution of his difficult and dangerous task hasenforced the adoption of several energetic energetic measures, without which the Servian war would most likely have led to atrosities more dreadful than those we have already heard of. The presence of the fleet at Besika Bay, by allaying the revengeful spirit of the Turkish people, who looked upon the Berlin Note as a European orusade against Islamism, bas perhaps saved the East from complete ruin. English policy has, in short, effectually prevented the general conflagration which would certainly have broken out in the East if the Berlin Note had been accepted, involving perhaps a European war. The prudent policy of England pas confined it to Turkey and to two Slav provincos. The policy of Russia may be summedup as follows:-The strengthening of the insurrection in Bosnia and Herzegovina by intervention; the spreading of revolutionary ideas, THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTOR the fanning of the passions of races and creeds; the paralyzing of the Turkish administration; the revolt in Bulgaria, followed by cruelty and murder; and, finally, the Servian war. And the policy of England thus: - Constant advice to Turkey to grant reforms; Imperial decrees apreading those reforms throughout the country; no enconvergement to revolutionary ideas; the censure of abuses; the prevention of probable excesses; impressing on the Tarks the necessity of a better and more European form of govern-

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"ARRATOON APCAR," Cantain A. B. MacTavish, will leave for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 16th instant Despatches will close at 2 30 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. 1784 Hongkong, 10th November, 1876.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship aptain Cowell, will leave for the above Por TO-MORROW, the 16th instant, at 8 P.M. Desputches will close at 2 80 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to ARDINE MATHESON & Co.

NOTIUE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. HE Company's Steamship

1782 Hongkong, 9th November, 1876.

" MENZALEH." Captain Pasqualini, will be despatched for YOROBAMA RESERVES, CURRY POWDER and shortly after the arrival of the next French H. DU POUEY.

1802 Hongkong, 13th November, 1876. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES Maritimes. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steamship

DJEMNAH" will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe. H. DU POULY 1803 Hougkong, 13th November, 1876. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, vid SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship " GLAUCUS" will be despatched on or about the 17th instant For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

1785 Hongkong, 10th November, 1876,

FUR MANILA, THE Spanish Bark TERESA. Cebade, Master, having the greater portion her Cargo engaged, will be despatched SATURDAY, the 18th instant, at 11 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. 1796 Hongkong, 11th November, 1876. FOR COOKTOWN, SYDNEY, AND

MELBOURNE. THE Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Company's Steamer " BRISBANE" will be deepatched as above on TUESDA the 21st instant, at 2 P.M. For Freight or Passage apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. 1778 Houghoug, 9th November, 1876. FOR MANILA. THE Spanish Brig

"VILLA DE BIVADAVIA," Captain Camus, will have quick despatch for the allove Port. For Freight or Passago, apply to BRANDAU & Co. 1793 Hongkong, 10th November, 1876. FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. 1786 Hougkong, 10th November, 1876. FOR DUNEDIN. THE Barque

"GLOUGESTER," her Clargo engaged, will have a quick despatel For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co 1787 Hongroup, Joh November, 1876. FOR LUNDON THE Al British Barque

"MAY QUEEN." Hongkong, and will have immediate despatch on Goods stored therein. for the above Port For Freight, apply to A MAGG. HEATON. Hongkong !

THOMAS AND MERCER, L'anton 1780 Hongkong, 9th November, 1876. FOR HAMBURG. * IHR 3/3 L I I French Schooner SALAMIN, British ship, Philip .- Adamson, Bell Leien, Menter, will load hors and at Whampon and will have quick desputch. For Freight apply to

1626 Hongkong, 10th October, 1876.

VOGEL HAGNDORN & Co.

FOR LONDON. HE Al British Bark "GEO. SHOTTON," Millar Commander, will load here and quior despatobr

Vessels on the Berth.

For Freight, apply so MEYER & Do. tf 1810 Hongkong, 14th November, 1876. FOR LONDON, THE A1 British Chipper Baip BALAMIS." Philip, Commander, will load here and have

raick despatch. For Freight, apply to: MEYER & Co. 1718 Hongkong, 80th October, 1876. FOR LONDON. THE American Bark

quiok despatob. For Freight, apply to MEYER & Co. 1702 Hongkong, 27th October, 1876: FOR SYDNEY, N.S.W., DIRECT. THE AI British Unmus "FLODDEN" requires a limited amount of Light Freight to

"CHALMETTE."

Myle, Commander, will load here and have

complete her loading as above, and will have oarly despatch: For Freight, aprly to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, tf 1797 Hongkong, 11th November, 1876. FOR NEW YORK. TO FOLLOW THE "QUEENSBEERY." MHE Al British Ship

Blackstone, Muster, will load here and at Whampes for the shave Port, and will have kong Stamps and 10 cents in U.S. Stamps to quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Uo. 1m 1779 Hongkong, 9th November, 1876. C. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STRAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO XEW YORK, WA OVER LAND BAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

TITHE U. S. Mail Steamer CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th No vember, 1876, at 3 P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Through Passenger Tickets and Bills o Lading are issued for transportation to Yoko hamn and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco,

to ports in Mexico, Central and South America; and to New York and Europe, via OVER LAND RAILWAYS. A Steamer of the Mitsu Bishi S.S. Company will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, and make close connection at Yokobama.

At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of steamers to England, France, and Germany. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 14th proxime. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad dress in full; value of same is required.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company Praya Central G. B. EMORY. Hongkong, October 18th, 1876.

NOTTUE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES FAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMALIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES:

PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, AND. CALCUTTA

ON THURSDAY, the 16th Nevember, 1876, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "ANADYR," Commandant DE BUTLER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPROIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Oargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-

don as well as for Marseilles; and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till noon, &c., on THURSDAY, the 23rd instant.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 F.M., The following will be the hours of clesi Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 15th November, 1876. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. H. DU POUEY, Hougkong 10th November 1876:---

SINGAPORE PENANG, POINT DE BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI. TERRANEAN PORTS. SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALOUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. THE PENINSULAR AND OBTENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship LOMBARDY," Captain HALL, will leave this on THURSDAY, the 28rd November, at For further Particulars, apply to

A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 14th November, 1876. OCCIDENTAL AND OBIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PAS SENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES

AND EUROPE. IN COMMECTION WITH THE CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING BAILROAD COMPANIES AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S.S. OCEANIC will be despatched to San Francisco, via Yokobama, on FRI-DAY, the 1st December, at 3 P.M., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Steamers from Shanghai.

in full; value of same is required. Return Passage Tickets available for 6 months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent. on regular rates.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 16, Praya Central. G. B. EMORY. Hongkong, 4th November, 1876.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agenta-ko the above Company at this

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Nistet, Master, will load at Whampon and Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 1 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868 THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

READ OFFICE-HONGKONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore was discovered. Saigon and Ponang. Rinks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Promium current at the above mentioned Ports. No charge for Policy feet. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.

Post-Office Notifications. A mart will close

For Swatow. Today, the 15th instant, at For Manila Per bark Tercea, to-day, the 15th instant, at 10.30 A.M. For Manila. - Per Legits, to-day, the 15 instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai, Per Yangtere, to day, the 15th instant, at 8.30 P.M. For Saigon .- To-day, the 15th instant, at For Iloilo.—To day, the 15th instant, at

For Amoy .- Per Salvadora, to-day, the 15th For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta .- Per rratoon Appar and Penguin; to morrow, the 16th instant, at 2.30 P.M. For Cooktown, Sydney, and Melbourne -- Per Brisbane, on Tuesday, the 21st instant, at 1.30 P.M. Private ship rates.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES' The United States' Mail Packet CITY OF PEKING will be despatched on WEDNES-DAY, the 15th instant, with Mails for Japan, Ban Francisco, the United States, and London, which will be CLOSED as follows:--2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post Office closes. 2.30 P.M. Correspondence may be preted on hourd the Packet with Lists Fee

of 12 cents extra Postage, until 2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally closed. Correspondence must be specially directed for this route, and if not fully propaid will be sent by British Packet. Letters, &o., can be posted for Canada, that West Indies, and other places named below, it sufficient American stamps are added to prepay. them from San Francisco to destination. Ame

ricen Stumps are sold at this Office. The charge for Registry is 8 cents in Hongthose places only the names of which are printed in Italica. To all the other places named correspondence ognnot be Registered through, but only to San Francisco (8 cents). The following are the charges on corresponence thus sent :-

PER HALF OUNGS. Hongkong U.S. Stamps, Stamps,

Cents. Canada, British Columbia, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward's Island, Vancouver's >8 Island, Bahamas, Nassau, New Providence spinwall, Bermuda, Bogota, Carthagena, Costa Rica, Cuba, Curacio, Fiji, Greenland, > Jamaica, New Granada, Nicaragua, Panana, West Indies. Inwaii. Now Foundland Justomala, Mexico, Salvador, Venezuela: Belite, Greytown, Guiana, Honduras, Martinique, Santa Martha, Turk's Island Bolivia, Equador, Chili, Poru.... Argentine Confederation, Buence Ayres, Paraguay, Uru- 8. guay attimentation and and are Newspapers (not over 4 oz.) Books, &c., per 4 Oz.....

Any articles found enclosed in Newspapers r Book Packets (as silk scarves, jewellery, &c.) will be detained. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet ANADYR will be-desputched on THURSDAY, the 16th instant, with Mails to and through the United

Kingdom and Europe, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Singapore, Batavia, Galle, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Bombay, Aden, Suez, and The following, will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. WEDNESDAY, 15th instant,

5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the NIGHT BOX, which remains open all night. THURSDAY, 16th instant, 7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Begistry of Letters, and Postdng of all correspondence.

O A.H., Registry of Letters ceases. 11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late 11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom or to Singapers may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage,

II.30 A.M., when the Post Office OLOSES MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.

The English Contract Packet LOMBARDY will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. WEDNESDAY, 22nd instant, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the NIGHT

Box, which remains open all night. THUESDAY, 23rd instant, 7. A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence.

10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late. Letters. Registry of Letters ceases. 10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted on payment of a Lare FEE of 18 cents extra Postage, until 11 A.M., when the Post Office OLOSES

11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vid Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage, 11,50 A.M., Posting on Board ceases. Correspondence can now be forwarded by

closed Mails to the United Kingdom, via San rancisco, at the following rates :-12 cents per 3 oz. Registration 8 cents. Newspapers..... 4 cents each. Books and Patterns, 1 oz ... 2 cents. Books and Patterns; 2 oz ... 4 cents. Books and Patterns, every | Scents. 4 CZ Carten Control Control The Mails alose on 2.30 P.M., ushally on the lat and 15th of each mouth. Registry bannot be effected after 2 P.M.

insufficiently paid it will be cent via Suez. Most countries to which Hongkong forwards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probably about to do so, it is necessary that the following rules be

The average time of transit to London by

this route is 50 days. The correspondence must

be specially addressed via San Francisco, If

atriotly observed. Connection is made at Yokohama with tored or Packet, whether to be registered or paregistered, can be received for Postage. if it contains gold or silver money, jewels, pre-Freight will be received on board until 4 P.W. nume articles, or anything that, as a general received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day. 2. This Regulation prohibits the sending of All Parcel Packages should be marked to address | Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no

> 3. The limits of weight allowed are as fol-BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To British Offices, 51b. PATTEENS .- 51b. if without intrinsic value. BOOKS AND PAPERS. To the Continent, &co.

PATTERNS -- 8 02 4. The following articles cannot be sent by Post at all -Glass, Liquide, Gunpowder, Matches, Usudles, Soap, Indigo, Dye-stuffs, or whatever is dangerous to the Mails or offensive or injurious to persons dealing with them.

PARCELS. The public is reminded that, in Ohina and Japan, there is no such thing as Parcel Post, Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trifles through the Post. Fane, Curios, Articles of Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders baving often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can bemade on such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the nature of the contents

Some difficulty is experienced in Obtaining a general understanding of what is a Pattern. It is a bond fide sample of goods which the sender has for sale, or of goods which be mishes to order. It is to connet of the amaliest possible Mongkong, lat November, 1871. [tf 385] goods are, and must have no intrinsic value.

Extracts.

DEAD IN THE QUEENSLAND BUSH. Where the trailing hongles of the tea trees droop, Where the vines hong feelooned in ourve and loop, Where liles lost, and the tall reeds stoop Neath the tread of the lonely craus, There's a human form on the bare, hot hand, That the sun in its fury has scor hed and inned, That a pitying zephyr at times has fauned-It feels neither pleasure nor pain.

Poor, lost, and forgotton! No mourver's wail. Was heard when you parted, no face area pule With weeping and watching. To tell the tale But a festering body lies there, -Those rotting linewall they ever press A mother a lip? Did a kind caress From a woman's hand ever smooth a tress.

To dee from Denth had he vainly fried : Agross the broad plains, ever side by side, They had walked together, and, stride for stride. Deith kent an with him still. He drank of the water he so had graved, He dipped his hands in the stream, and laved

Of that blenched and taugled hair?

.His heated face ; and he shouted, " Saved!" Death sate there, waiting to kill: Down on the sand in a careless heap He cast himself for a welcome sleep. Not thinking the tinseen presence did keep Ita wotch heside him there. Strange, tender dreams of his boyhood's days Show brightly and clearly through memory a haze ; His face as he slambered beneath Death's gaze-

at grew almost young and hur. Then Death had great pity. Thought he, "It were sweet! If matend of awaking, once more formest Fresh tail-to-morrow, on sching feet, " He should shumber all care away?" He arose -and his face was an angel's face; The soul of that sleeper had passed to grace:

Death kissed him there, where he lay! -Australasian Sketcher DEARINGO,

PRECOCIOUS CHILDREN. Never be auxious to have your children.

helping his mind at his work. SEPTEMBER. "Barley mouth" was one of the names given to September by our Saxon accestors, party having been a urdered by treacherous second nearly exhausted with the fatiguing because, by this time, they had nearly finished is a release by this time, they had nearly finished is a release by the rest of her extension, "I have no doubt, gathering in their barley crops, and so now commenced turning their attention to the important task of brewing. Another appellation also given to this month was "Haligemonath "-i.e., holy month-from an ancient festival held at this meason of the year. A Saxon monology, or register of the months (in Wanley's addition to Hickes), ascribes its derivation to the fact that "our. forefathers, the while they heathers were, in this month celebrated their devil-gild." These devil gilds (deofal gild) were, we learn from Soune, the sperificial guilds of heathenism, and to them, according to Wilda and Lappenberg, may be traced the origin of the municipal system of the Saxons, for they seem to have combined the double character putes and trying offcuces, the pricate exercising the criminal jurisdiction and lending it Christians condemned them under the name tion of Richard I., in 1189, began a terrible rings perforating the cartilage of the nostrils, Egyptian days. On this day, at the corousslaughter of the Jews, which lasted several tily made pins with bead handles, small claws of draps; when, in the translated words of the old chronicler Thomas Wikes, and innumer-3rd of Sentember, says that "is might have been called an evil or Egyptian day by comment of singular design. It con- and pleasant conversation. In the audience-Jowish askimity." It should be reticed ! Formerly on St. Cathbort's Day (September year by the Nevilles of Raby, at Darham Cathedral. On one occasion, however, we are told that Lord Neville claimed that he, and as many as he might bring with him; should be feasted by the prior upon the occasion. To this the prior would not consent not only on the ground that such i request had never before been claimed as a right, but because it was a most expensive and onerous burden, for the trains of the great nobility of that day were numerous in the extreme. Accordingly the result was that the prior declined to accept the stag when laid before the shrine, at which the Neviller were so grievously offended that from words they got to blows, and began to cuff the monks who were ministering at the altari The latter were not content to offer a mere passive resistance, but made such good use who was specially appointed by the bishop and collectors were stationed on all the roads Merchants, we are told, resorted to it from all parts of Europe, each street being appropriated in the sale of different commodities. Holy Cross or Holy Rood Day (September the pretended real cross by the Emperor

exposed to the people, and afterwards broken | planks.

up in pieces at St. Paul's Cross by Hilsey.

Bishop of Rochester .- Lours Hour

THE SOLOMON ISLANDS. The Solomon Group consists of a long tipped with the sharp bone of a flab of chain of islands, many of them of considerable possonous nature. When meeting for wa extent, stretching in a north-westerly direct they collect the people logether by the sound tion between the New Hebrides and the large of trumpet or conch shells. In order to guard islands of New Britain and New Ireland, themselves against the missile weapons, the which latter lie to the north cast of New carry shields made of rushes, so thickly and Guines. They occupy a position between the desterously woven tog ther that they are able parallels of fr and He emith of the equator. and are remarkably fertile, with a humid. part with dense, doubt forests, even to the and that human flesh is preferred by them tops of the highest mountains. The principal all other food is asserted by those who hav islands of the group are each from fifty to visited these islands. Mendana narrace th eighty miles in length, and include San a chief sent him a present of a quarter of a boy Christoval, Guadalennar, Malanta, Florida, and that he gave great offence to the native Ysabel, and New Georgia. They are suid to by burying instead of eating it. Captai Mondana the celebrated Spanish navigator,

oppressive climate, being covered for the most bave been discovered in the year 1675 by who sailed from Peru on a voyage of discovery. across the Pacific Ocean. They were named the Solomon Isles from the facts that the Spaniards supposed them to be those islands from whence Solomon fetched gold to adorn as worshipping serpents, tonds, and simil ti e Temple at Jerusalem. It is a singular creatures; but little, bowever, is at presen circumstance that these fine islands, whose known of their idolatrons beliefs. No min name was sufficient to tempt adventurers, sionaries appear as vet to have established were lost to Europeans for two contumes after themselves on the Solomon Islands. To their discovery, and that we know very little terricly savage nature of the inhabitants droi more about them at the present day than the zealours priests of Apostolio Mission awa what Mandana has narrated in the account from San Christoval; and although the roo of his voyages. They were, however, touched Bahop Patteson bevered about the coa at by Bouguinville and Surville; and in his missionary schooner, the Souther more recently they have been visited by war Cross, with the object of effecting some goo vessels critising in the Pacific, as well as by amongst these benighted people, it appear numerous small traders from Sydney, who no missionaries or native-feachers have been go there to barter with the natives for tor- able to gain a footing amongst them. I to sesbell and other productions; but the doubt the ferocity of the islanders toward ferocious character of the natives is so well strangers has been increased by the atrociti known that a landing is soldom effected, the committed against them from time to time

natives bringing off their produce in their by unserupulous traders who have visite cances, which lie alongside the vessel, a cor- their sheres for purposes of barter. Whe tuin number only being allowed to approach | the Southern Cross was at Florida Island precocious. It is often the very smart child at the same time. Each piece of tortoine company with Her Magesty's ship Curaçon, that makes the commorplace man, and the shell is bargained for separately; and none some of the officers desire to land, and ramble dence, who makes his parents ashamed of but the chiefs are allowed on board, the bull about to explore the country; but the Bishop him, that at last becomes distinguished. The warks being protected to a considerable advised no person to try it, as behad just learnt boy likely to be "somebody" in due time height by what are called "hammook vets that very morning that a trading versel had will, probably, he that torment of your life tiugs," so as to prevent the natives boarding killed two natives, not long before, on account who peaches preserves, fights his brothers, the vesicl in case of a sudden attack. Such of some trifling their, and everything induced and is brought in black and blue from bruises precautions are always necessary, as many, him to think that the islanders would avenge gained in a fall-freme some neighbour's apple traders tave fallen into the bands of these themselves for those two deat's on the first tree; while the excellent fellow who is at the savages, and their crews been murdered, and white men who ventured within their clutches. head of his class, and never wears out the afterwards eaten by them. At the island of This was on the second occasion the lamented knees of his trousers, will disappoint your Gualalcanar the late Mr. Benjamin Boyd of Bishop had visited these seas. On the first expectations. The very worst way to make a Sydney was massacred about twenty years cecasion be had taken away with him some genius of a boy is to bring him up for one. "go. The unfortunite gentleman, whilst young men whom he now brought back, and Under such training, if he has not the real returning from a cruise among the islands had landed them again a their native village stuff in him, he will become a conce ted jack in his yacht the Wanderer anchored off on the coast. At that epot he was well anapes. I he has the feal stuff in him it Guadalcanar, and, improdently landing to received, and met with fine plantations of will develop itself in its own time; and nature shoot pigeons, was carried off by the natives, bananas and yams, large and handsome will generally postpone that time until his together with his servant, a Sandwich dwellings, enclosures surrounded with welllage are sturdy, his arm strong, and, fon, Islander, and both were put to death. An made palsades, and natives who showed frolic, and a good appetite have done their a tack on the yacht afterwards took place, thoms lves well disposed, and even civil .best for him, and make his body capable of but the savages were driven off, and the The Colonies. survivors escaped to sea. Some years ago the French missionaries formed a station at Makira Bay, in the island of San Christoval; but they were subsequently compelled to un in the north of England, said to the abandon it in consequence of several of their maidservant who waited upon him, and who

any distance into the interior. ance resemble somewhat the Papuaus of New I am obliged to get up; so that I have no Guinea, and evidently belong to the same onjoyment in my bed at all." race. Their complexion is black, and their bair crisp and woolly. Their inveterate use of the betel-nut blackens, their teeth, and Under what style and titles should a they disfigure their faces with streaks and sovereign address the chief magistrate of a patches of white paint. Like the people of Republic? In writing to the President of of staining their hair yellow, white, or red, the dreadfully patromsing formula of " My by means of lime. They care but little for good Friend." The Duke of Rutland omclothing of any kind; at the same time they | ployed some similar phrase when he issued a are remarkably fond of ornaments, and evince proclamation to the farm labourers on his great skill and ingenuity in their manufact estates. Kaiser William, in congratulating ture as well as in the adornment of their General Grant on the American Contennary, of a fount and of a court day for settling dis houses, canoes, and kava-bowls. The chiefs writes "Great and Good Friend," which and great warriors wear a number of rings strikes one as at least better than the British on each arm made from a gigantic shell found formula. The Emperor Francis Joseph beand so difficult to be obtained as often to Friend," while the Czar says simply "M. le occasion war heregen different tribes, and President." The Czar perhaps shows the human life is so little cared for amongst best taste of all, for the other monarchs by demons, as they close to term it hut amongst them that one of these rines can command using an out of the way form of address which are superstitionally stigmatised as Their pose ornaments include tortoiseshell mind of Lord Beaconsfield.—Vanily Fair.

shell, laced with a very thin chole of tor- grandees, or others, he has a word bien place logic," says that as Egypt in Greek signifies coiseshell elaborately coived. Their im- for all whether they are friends or foes. Prudarkness, the day of death is called an Egyptian day, and that there are twenty-two in the year in which one hour is terrible to mortals. He particularly mentions the 3rd public balls or council houses, some of which he has never, during the two years he has Es of September as one of these persions days. are fifteen lect long and as many loches deep, been on the throne, been known to make a Figure the ornamen ation consisting of inla d birds, mistake. Like Queen Victoria, he thoroughly Fr 4th) an offering of a stag was runde every Brenchley who landed at S. in Christoval when stitutional the Parliament must govern. It Have year by the Nevilles of Raby at Darbary cruising in H.M.S. Curacoa in 1865, gives an has sometimes been said that his Majesty's Ho interesting account of what he saw on shore. bealth is delicate, but I may say I never have He says: -"I crossed a village situated not far seen him a day or an hour looking otherwise T. from the sea, where some forty buts were so ar- than strong and robust. Though the vive- T ranged as to form narrow streets. Several of city of his nature renders him restless, he them were of good size and had verandahe in is as strong as steel. When he visits the M fronts; the woodwork of which the fronts of country, the mountains, the woods, the levely M with ourious devices, one being surmounted school boy, and has been hoard to say;" Gerby the figure of a man with a bat on his head themen, excuse my joy. I am only eighlike a quaint style of European hat Some teen, and lately I thought myself forty!" of the houses were mised two or three feet Much has been said about the marriage from the ground. There was a large canoe of the King, and it has often been strange figures wore soulptured of men and oppose any marriage he may contemplate. sbarks, many of the latter in the act of But this is a calumny. That noble-hearted swallowing men. Just under the roof, in widowed girl has a great and true affection. front, there were about twenty five skulls for her brother. Nothing is more pleasant

number of the under jaws of boars' heads, borseback, riding both at full gallop. Hereclius, alter it had been taken away on the plundering of Jarusalem by Obosroes, king of Persia. This day is also tormed the Exaltation of the Holy Cross." It should be added that cross and rood are avnenymous. rood being the Anglo-Saxon for cross. By Christ on the cross, placed upon a loft made church into the chancel, or sometimes over rood was not reckoned complete without the being very much raised. The sides are son, and who follows in till thing his desires. images of the Virgin Mary and St. John. adorned with carvings, fentbors, and lulay. The Princess of the Asturias, like the Princess of t At Berley Albey, in Kept, there was a layings. For the last mentioned purpose cess of Wales, never interferes in politics, miraculous orucifix, called the Bood of white shells are liberally used, and tortoise, although demagogues falsely allege that she Grace, which was one of the most notorious shell is also employed. Some portions of the does. Culumny has never dared to breathe and famous impostures among the many cause are carved so as to rescrible the human a word against her private character. She numerous frauds employed by the Roman face, the eyes being let is with mother of is at the head of every charity, and per-

with feathers and bows and arrows; the latte to resist the spears, and to render the arrow

Of their cannibalism there can be no doul Cheyng tells us that burnen flesh actual forms their chief article of dlet. He sava. have been most disgusted, on visiting some their houses, to observe human heads, aru and legs suspended from the rafters,"

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SOUND SLEEP AND HARD WORK. A gentleman, atopping, one evening at an islanders. Excepting at a few spots on some duties of her siteation, "I have no doubt, of the islands, it is considered, even at the Sally, but you enjoy your bed when you get present time; unsafe to laud and proceed into it." "Indeed, no, sir," she replied, "for has soon as I lie down at night I am fast The Solomon Islanders in general appear- asleep, and as soon as I awake in the morning

THE TITLE OF PRESIDENT. the New Hebrides, they pursue the same art | the United States her Majesty makes use of on the reefs. These rings are so highly prized gins his letter with "Honourable and Dear the German race it was a difficult matter to the head of any ordinary individual. The seem to show that they thought of beginning put them down altogether. The festival of lobes of the ears are frequently perforated with "My Brother," but, on reflection, the Ordination of St. Gregory, celebrated and distanded so predictionally that round decided that they could not quite, and to bit. September 3rd, is, says Hampson, "the most blocks of painted wood more than three on a compromise. The question is a serious which are superstitionally stigmatised as

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Alphonso is not only noble and fearless, lium. Their necklaces are most varied in but knows how to wait and watch, and up- Th plundered of their mode, desconded to hell of boars' tusk, with tortoiseshell figures in leonic maxim, "De monde vient à relui qui V. monkish historian." William Newbrigensis, boautifully made of rings of black, red, of sate, in court, in church, or at the head of set of Sentember, says that "it might have as pendants. They manufacture a head is, mercover, a gentleman of easy manners sists of a large disc of thin, round, white room, when receiving generals, diplomatists, the houses were constructed being painted scenes of La Granga, he enjoys it like a M house supported by wooder pillars, on which hinted that the Princess de Asturias will T of the large wax candles which they carried hanging up of natortunate bushmen who than to see this youthful pair together, the in belabouring their companies, as to company had been eaten by these people, and all I saw King driving his sister in the Pares del in belabouring their opponents, as to compel showed the effects of the club or tomphawk Retiro both of them with a kind look for them to refrent. The intyor resigned the effects of the club or tomphawk Retiro both of them with a kind look for them to refrent. The intyor resigned the effects of the club or tomphawk Retiro both of them with a kind look for the keys of the four gates to a magistrate and at the side, under the roof, wire a everyone. Spenetimes they go out on mostly with the tusks out, and with them Princess is the best horsewoman in Madrid, human jaws without teeta; beside these jaws, and thoroughly, enjoys her, canter. At an les and arm bones were suspended. In con- interview I recently had, with the Princess, trast with this strange exhibition, implying who is never tired of speaking of the King, a very rude state of society, was the village the subject of the marriage, and of the road which seemed as carefully swept and romour that she was opposed to it, was occasions of the recovery of a large piece of attended to as in the most civilized village." broadled. Her eyes brightened, she became In the island of Ysabel the inhabitants build eliquent, and said - The happiness of my tree-houses at least fifty fact from the ground, brother is the dearest object of my life. And and reached by ladders, which are drawn up when a Princess worthy to be his wifeshall onter at night, so as to be secure in event of their this palace, she will be welcomed as a Queen enemies attacking them. Their larger houses and as a sister. The joys and affection of are built with a gable roof, thatched with home are dear to my heart, and the Prinpalm-leaves, and somewhat resemble those of leas that will make my brother's domestic life our amesions the hely rood was an image of the New Zealanders; the posts are carved happy will indeed be welcomed and be loved with grotesque human figures, and skulls and by me." It has been said that the Princesa for that purpose, just over the passage of the other ornaments are hung about the rafters. exercises a great influence over the King. Their capoes are made in the most in. The statement is frue, but it is the the entrance into the church itself. This genious manner, both the stem and stem love of a young mother proud of her

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